FIRE IN A STATE INSTITUTION

Narrow Escape of the School for Feeble Minded Youths.

Boys' Department Damaged to the Extent of \$5,000-Interesting Relic of the Civil War.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. FORT WAYNE, Ind., Sept. 2.- The Indiana School for Feeble-minded Youths had a very narrow escape this afternoon from burning. Fire caught in a storage room where a pile of old rags had been temporarily placed and was burning somebefore discovery and had gotten well under headway. The chemicals banging in the halls were used, but without effect, and the department from the city was summoned, and just as they commenced work Engineer Arthe steamers. breaking it in three places, fully five minutes before be released. Next the water in the main cistern gave out, and it was thought that the building was doomed, as fire was shooting out at severa places. The children were quickly housed hospital building. tight two hours flames were gotten under control. The fire broke out in the west wing, which is the boys' department, and was kept from crossing the large hall to the girls' department. The entire loss will not exceed \$5,000; fully covered by insurance, of which \$100,000 is carried.

AN INTERESTING DOCUMENT, Pledge of Five Disloyal Men Taken at the

Close of the Civil War, Special to the Indianapolis Journal. through the records of Delaware county

MUNCIE, Ind., Sept. 2.-In looking to-day at the courthouse the following pledge was found on a leaf in a rusty-looking old book. DELAWARE COUNTY, Ind., April 18, 1865.

We all of us agree that we have done and said things against the government and the adminis tration of Abraham Lincoln, and we are sorry that we did it, and we ask forgiveness of our Union friends; we also acknowledge that we have said too much about our Union neighbors, and we take all back and ask forgiveness of them. We desire their friendship and turn about and agree and pedge ourselves to sustain the administration and the government of the United States against all of its enemies; and we further pledge ourselves that we will take or read no paper that is not considered loyal, especially the Cincinnati Enquirer and Chicago Times. We also pledge ourselves to act with the union party, and that we will vote for no man for office unless he is perfectly loyal. And we further pledge our sacred honor to live up to all of the above pledges and sign our

The pledge was signed by five men. O'MALLEY CALLS IT A BLUFF.

He Defies Governor Matthews and Says the Fight Will Take Place, Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

CHICAGO, Sept. 2.-Dominick O'Malley, president of the Columbian Athletic Club, in an interview to-day regarding the published report that Governor Matthews, of Indiana, had ordered out the wilitia to stop the fight at Roby, Ind., sched-Eled for Monday, said that the event would take place as announced and the "bluff" was made by Governor Matthews to influence the jury in the trial of the test case. On Wednesday next the men nominally arrested for participating Woods-Costello mill will on trial at Crown Point, Ind., and then the law pointsein volved will be settled. He has obtained the opinions of ten of the best lawyers in Indiana, he says, on the validity of the statue which permits "physical contests of science and skill" in athletic clubs, and says they sustain him in its interpretation.

NEW SORT OF LAW. White Caps Cannot be Punished Unless They Plead Guilty. Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

CANNELTON, Ind., Sept. 2.-The celebrated white cap case against Jacob Esary came up for trial yesterday. The trial lasted for over a day and a half, and over one hundred witnesses were examined. The jury took the case at 4 p'clock, and at 5 returned a verdict of not guilty. The cases against Littleton Faulkenboro and Joe Jones were then stricken off by prosecutor De Weese. The cause of this trouble dated back to 1887, when John Davidson was taken out and hanged by a dozen "white caps" in Oil township. A fact now snown is, that a man charged with "white-capping" cannot be punished in this county unless on a plea

Members of Muncie Fencibles Fined. Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

MUNCIE, Ind., Sept. 2.-Esquire John C. Eiler has made his decision in the case in which members of the State militia here were charged with trespass and all were found guilty and fined. Previous to the State encampment one member of the Muncie Fencibles wished to resign, but could not get the discharge papers. He kept the uniform at his boarding house at the home of T. L. Zook. Capt. Heinsohn sent Lieut. Carmichael, and privates Hunter, Hodge and Case after the uniform, but they were refused admittance. However, they entered the house and captured the ciothes, thinking the State would uphold them. There were arrested for trespass and have now been fined. They will test the case in the higher courts.

Wheel Pool to Be Dissolved.

Special to the Indianapo'is Journal. TERRE HAUTE, Ind., Sept. 2. - The Western Wheel Association is about to be dissolved, owing to the withdrawsl of the Standard Wheel Company, which had 66 per cent. of the output. Representatives of the sixteen companies in the association have just concluded a three day's session at Dayton, trying to agree on the allotment of output for the second fiscal year, beginning about ten days from now. There are some companies cut of the pool. The Standard company, whose offices are located here, have twelve factories. Last year they made 316,000 of the 518,000 sets of wheels manufactured by the companies in

Wants \$20,000 Damages. Special to the Indianapolis Journs

WABASH, Ind., Sept. 2.-Marion Webb, as the next friend of Charles Webb, has filed suit against the Wabash Paper Company for \$20,000 damages, alleged to have been sustained by his son Charles, whose leg was badly mangled in a paper machine at the mill nearly a year ago. He alleges negligence on the part of the company. Mr. Webb himself also sues for \$3,000 for the loss of the lad, who is a minor.

Fired by a Spark from an Engine.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. ELKHART, Ind., Sept. 2 .- A spark from a clover huller ignited a straw stack on Louis Thompson's farm to-day, setting fire to his barn and destroying it, with a large quantity of grain. and some live stock. Loss. \$3,000; insured for \$1,500 in the Farmers' Mutual. The fire communicated to George Bennett's barn, destroying it, together with all his grain. Loss, \$2,500; insured for \$900 in the New York Home.

Young Rauroad Man Missing.

Special to the Indianapelis Journal. MUNCIE, Ind., Sept. 2.—Bert Cupp, aged twenty-four, and a well known trainman, is mysteriously absent, and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Enos Cupp, fear he has been killed. His bride of a week is even more anxious. Young Cupp left home a week ago with a gold watch and \$50. He is a member of Lima, O., Lodge, No. 200, of Rail- | the sand.

Outrage at Washington. WASHINGTON, Ind., Sept. 2 .- Last night the house occupied by Jane Yates and her four daughters, all women alleged to be of bad repute, was burned to the ground by incendiaries. Last Sunday night their house was broken into by a mob of men and boys, and all the furniture carried into the street and burned.

Attorney Shot by an Ex-Sheriff. SULLIVAN, Ind., Sept. 2 .- Eearly this morning Charles Holtz, a prominent attorney, was shot and fatally wounded by an ex-sheriff, whose same was not learned. Hoitz was charged with

shooting occurred in the sheriff's residence.

being intimate with the ex-sheriff's wife. The

Indiana Notes.

Lewis Jenkins, an employe in the tin-plate works at Elwood, had his arm nearly torn away Mr. William Moore, one of the pioneer residents of Delaware county, died near Selma, Friday night, aged eighty-one years.

EIGHT HUNDRED PERISHED.

Latest Reports as to the Loss of Life on South Carolina Islands.

CHARLESTON, S. C., Sept. 2.- The News and Courier has made a careful investigation of the condition of affairs on the coast of Carolina, and finds that its reports have not been exaggerated. The loss of life will aggregate 800 in Buford county. Between Charleston and Savannah the storm swept away most of the homes, as well as growing crops, and left the people in a destitute state. The loss of life and property was found to be the greatest on St. Helena, Ladies', Wassa, Coosaw, Paris, Dawauski and Dathan islands. These islands, together with Port Royal island, have a population of about fifteen thousand, most of whom are negroes. Estimates at this time as to loss of life are incomplete. There is no communication between certain of the islands, and reports of deaths are slow in reaching the coroner. There are a great many lives lost that will never be reported, as the bodies have been covered with seaweed or carried out to sea. Coroner Wells, of Beaufort county, has supplied the following death-roll of lives lost in the vicinity of Beaufort: Drowned on Wassa island, 47; Coffin Point, 80; Dathan.87; Coosaw island, 25; Chisolinerisland, 26; Hunting island, 25; St. Helena island, 200; Savannah field plantation, 200; Beaufort, 2: Salt Water Bridge, 4; Otabeta, 6 Grey Hill, 5: Perry Clear Point, 11; Ladies' island, 27; Paris Island, 24; Landsend, 20; Kane's Neck, 60; Coosaw Mills, 5; on dredges, 5, making a total of 807. Other islands are to be heard from.

Reports show that there is dire distress among the colored people. Their homes have been washed away and crops destroyed. There is no work for them to do, and they are suffering for food. Ex-Congressman Elliot says that "starvation is sure and imminent."

PETTY DEMOCRATIC SPITE.

Supervisor of Elections Davenport Ousted from the Federal Building.

NEW YORK, Sept. 2 .- United States Supervisor of Elections John I. Davenport no longer holds offices in the federal building. The rooms which he occupied, Nos. 174, 176 and 178, were taken possession of at noon to-day by Postmaster Dayton, acting under instructions from the Treasury Department. The eviction of Davenport was attended by a dramatic scene, during which Secretary Swift, of the postmaster's office, was forcibly flung into the corridor by Davenport's chief clerk, James E. Doran. Postmaster Dayton had been instructed by Secretary Carlisle to At 11:40 Secretary Swift proceeded to Dayeaport's office, which he found in possession of chief clerk Doran. While waiting the arrival of the postmaster Mr. Swift stepped to the door of the office. Doran rushed to the open door, banged it to and locked it on the inside, leaving the office by another door. Postmaster Dayton at once obtained duplicate keys and entered the office. He then had the locks changed and the doors braced from the inside.

AN AMERICAN HONORED.

Henry C. Ide Tendered the Position o Chief Justice of Samoa.

St. JOHNSBURY, Vt., Sept. 2.-Hon. Harry C. Ide, of this place, has been tendered the position of Chief Justice of Samoa. This office is one filled by consent of the three treaty powers-Germany, England and America-and carries with it great responsibilities, and demands much legal ability on the part of the incumbent. Mr. Ide's appointment came by the recommendation of Germany, during President Harrison's administration, and was recently taken up again by the present ad-

GENERAL WEATHER BULLETIN.

Forecast for To-Day. WASHINGTON, Sept. 2,-For Indiana and Illinois-Fair; warmer; winds becoming southeast For Ohio-Fair; slowly rising temperature; variable winds.

Local Weather Report.

INDIANAPOLIS, Sept. 2. Time. | Bar, Ther. R. H. Wind. | Weather. | Prec. 7 A. M. 30.14 57 69 N'east. Clear. 7 P. M. 30.12 68 33 N'east. Clear. 0.00 Maximum temperature, 74: minimum temperature, 54. The following is a comparative

	statement of the temperature tion for sept. 2, 1893:	and 1	precipita
		Tem.	Pre.
1	Normal	69	.10
и	Mean	64	0.00
В	Departure from normal	-5	-0.10
H	Excess or deficiency since Sept. 1	-6	
в	Excess or deficiency since Jan. 1		
в	C. F. R. W		
ı	Local Forecast Official, United	States	Weather

Conditions During August.

Following is a summary of the meteorological conditions at Indianapolis during the month of

Mean barometer, 29.99; highest, 30.23, on the 30th; lowest, 29.76, on the 28th. Mean temperature, 73; highest, 95, on the 10th; lowest, 47, on the 30th. Greatest daily range, 33, on the 30th; least daily range, 12, on the 25th. Mean temperature for this month in 1871, 76; 1872, 76; 1873, 75; 1874, 76; 1875, 70; 1876, 75; 1877, 73; 1878, 75; 1879, 73; 1880, 76; 1881, 79; 1882, 73; 1883, 70; 1884, 72; 1885, 70; 1886, 73; 1887, 73; 1888, 71; 1889, 71; 1890, 71; 1891, 72; 1892, 74; 1893, 73, Mean temperature for this month for twentytwo years, 73; total excess during month, 40 total deficiency since Jan. 1, 259. Prevailing direction of wind, northeast; total

movement, 3,8.65 miles; maximum velocity, direction, and date, 22 miles, northwest, on the Total precipitation, 0.61 inch; number o days on which .01 inch or more fell, 5; total precipitation (in inches) for this month in 1871. 3,69; 1872, 2.69; 1873, 1.32; 1874, 2.90; 1875, 3.66; 1876, 5.86; 1877, 4.13; 1878, 2.42; 1879, 5,71; 1880, 2.67; 1881, 0.97; 1882, 4.51; 1883, 2.48; 1884, 0.46; 1885, 5.82; 1886, 6.70; 1887, 3,15; 1888, 5.84; 1889, 0,54; 1890, 5,00; 1891, 5.79; 1892, 1.39; 1893, 0.61. Average precipitation for this month for twenty-two years,

3.52; total deficiency during the month, 2.92; total deficiency since Jan. 1, 3.92. Number of cloudless days, 17; partly cloudy, 8; cloudy, 6. Date of thurderstorm, 11th.

C. F. R. WAPPENHANS. Local Forecast Officer, Weather Bureau.

One-Sided Election. LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Sept. 2 - A special judicial election to fill the vacancies on the Supreme Bench caused by the resignation of Chief Justice Cockrell and Associate Justice Hemmingway, was held to-day. The Democrats had no oppo sition. H. G. Bunn, of Ouschita, was elected Chief Justice, and Carroll D. Wood, of Drew county, associate. The election was the first to to be held under the new amendment to the Constitution making the payment of poll tax a qualification to suffrage. Returns from throughout the State show a very small vote was polled very few negroes voting.

Six Skeletons Found on an Island. MEMPHIS, Tenn., Sept. 2.-A chastly discovery was made to-day by a fisherman on President's island, two miles south of Memphis. Six human skeletons were found on the sand bar opposite Jackson Mount Park. Their identity is a mystery, but rivermen believe they are some of the

crew and passengers of the ill-fated steamer

Gold Dust which burned a few years ago. The

skeletons were found six feet apart, imbedded in Fed Him Betore Lynching Him. McKinney, Ky., Sept. 2 .- Will Arkison, the colored boy, aged twenty, who yesterday as saulted the little daughter of Samuel Upthegrove, was hanged to-night at South Branch by a mob. The negro confessed his guilt and asked that his body be sent to his mother in Tennessee. Mr. Upthegrove gave the neuro a good supper before he was hanged and requested the mob not to shoot the prisoner.

Losses by Fire. PROVIDENCE, R. I., Sept. 2.—The Thorton worsted mill was burned in Johnston early this morning. It was a four-set mill and tad 150 NEW YORK, Sept. 2.—The American line employes. Loss. \$250,000; insurance, \$200,000.

THREE-VEAR-OLDS

Stallion Directum Trots a Mile in 2:9 1-2 at Fleetwood Park.

To Be Given \$5,000 if He Equals Nancy Hanks's 2:06 3-4 Made Last Thursday-League Ball Clubs.

FLEETWOOD PARK, Sept. 2.-Again Directum, the great stallion, demonstrated that he is one of the greatest trotting horses of this country. At Fleetwood today, before 3,000 people, the horse trotted in competition a mile in 2:0945, breaking his previous record made last Wednesday of 2.0934. As a three-year-old, Directum is certainly a most remarkable horse. The ease with which this stallion has been defeating the cracks places him as the most dangerous rival Nancy Hanks, Nelson, Kremlin and Stamboal have, and if he is successful in his attempt at the record made by Nancy Hanks last Thursday of 2:06%, which he will try for on Monday, the association will give Monroe Salesbury, the owner, \$5,000.

When the trotters for the first heat of the 2:12 class were called, some lively pool selling was being done, with Directum as the favorite. As the five trotters started, Azole took the pole, with Pixley next, the favorite, Directum, being in fourth place. Pixley set the pace, leading to the quarter, when she began to drop back and Directum passed her. He steadily increased his lead, and landed a winner in 2:1134. Directum immediately got away in the lead in the next heat, with Pherbe Wilkes close up. These positions they retained to the finish. The surprise came in the next heat, when Directum, after several breaks, stepped away in front, trotting to the quarter in 32 seconds, the half in 1:034, and then up the hill to the three-quarters in 1:3614, and the mile in

2:0919. Summaries: 2.12 class; trotting; purse, \$2,000, divided. Phæbe Wilkes.....2 Azole...... 4 3 2:28 class; trotting; purse, \$1,000. Brazil...... 5 1 1 Quarterstretch.....1 Lizzie H......2 Newport 2 5

2:15 class; pacing; purse, \$1,000. Hillio 1 1 The Dude......4 Maggie R...... 2 Linden..... E. G. S......6 2:22 class; trotting; purse, \$1,500. Ora Wilkes...... 1 1 1 Lora J......3 Furniture Boy......2 4

Opening Day at Latonia.

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CINCINNATI, Sept. 2 .- Forty-five hundred people attended the opening of the thirty-one-day Latonia meeting. Of eighty horses entered only fifty-eight started. Results:

First Race-One mile. Sister Mary won; Kinscem second, Sabine third Time, 1:4234. Second Race-Three-quarters of a mile. Salvation won: Crab Cider second, Cora Taylor third.

Third Race - One mile and seventy yards, Anna wen; Dolly McCone second, Parapet third. Fourth Race-The Merchants' stakes; one mile. Yo Tambien won; Ida Pickwick second, Faraday third. Time, 1:4134. The stakes were worth \$1,560 to winner. ton won; Ohio Belle second, Probasco third.

Fifth Race-Five furlongs. Caroline Hamil-Sixth Race-Five furlongs. Minuie Baxter won; Tom Elmare second, Annie Buckingham third. Time, 1:03. At Sheepshead Bay.

NEW YORK, Sept. 2 .- Sheepshead Bay results: First Race-Seven furlongs. Soundmore won: Stonenell second, Herald third. Time, 1:284. Second Race-Dash stakes; five furlongs. Henry of Navarre won; Potentate second, Wernberg third. Time, 1:01 2-5. Third Race-The Omnibus handicap; one mile and a furlong. Sir Walter won: Kinglet, second; Candelabra, third. Time, 1:45 4-5. Fourth Race-Futerity course. Busiris won; Frog Dance, second; Venusburg, third. Time. Fith Race-Five furlongs. Lady Bess won By Jove second, Simmons third. Time, 1:01 4-5. Sixth Race-One mile and a furlong. Versa-

Last Day's Races at Franklin. FRANKLIN, Sept. 2 .- The races closed here to day with the 2:45 pace, and a special yearling pace. The former was one of the most exciting races of the week. Results: 2:45 pace; purse, \$125. Johnny B. first, Lady Anderson second, Deck Wright third, Gypsy (fourth. Six beats. Best time, 2:2414. Yearling half-mile pace; for private purse. Mattie B. first, Beatem second, Lucy third. Two heats. Best time, 1:34.

tile won; Deception second, Lizzie third. Time,

Lorillard to Retire from the Turf. NEW YORK, Sept. 2.-Pierre Lorillard has decided to sell his entire stable of horses in training and to temporarily retire from the turf. His stable will be sold in two lots, the first on Sept 8, at Sheepshead Bay, including the fo lowing well-known horses: Lamplighter, Kilkenny, Julien, Yemen, Kildeer, Derrargilla, Rubicon, Curacoa, Lochinvar, Rama, Ixion Flirt and Venusburg. Mr. Lorillard's retirement is due to continued ill health. He will spend the winter and possibly the year in California.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

The Teams Enter the Last Month with No Hope for Tail-Enders.

The National League season will continge one month longer and the teams are apparently all about fixed in the places they will occupy at the close of the year. There may be some changing around among the tail-enders, and after Boston, some of the leaders may change places, but the relative positions will be nearly the same as they stand to-day. After yesterday's games the clubs ranked as follows:

W. L. P. C. W. L. P. C. Boston....75 32 .701 Cincinnati..51 54 .486 Pittsburg..64 44 .593 Baltimore..50 57 .467 Phil'd'lp'a 63 44 .589 St Louis...47 61 .435 Cleveland 57 47 .548 Caicago....43 64 .402 New York 57 49 .538 Louisville .40 62 .392 Brooklyn. 54 52 .509 Wahingt'n.37 70 .346

Yesterday's Games, At Chicago-(Attendance, 1,480.) Chicago ... 0 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 2 1-5 10 Baltimore.3 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 2-613 1

Batteries-Hutchinson and Scriver; McMahon and Robinson. At Boston- (Attendance, 3,100.) Boston......0 2 1 0 3 0 0 0 0-6 6 2 St. Louis.....0 2 0 0 0 1 0 0 0-3 7 3 Batteries-Nichols and Bennett; Breitenstein and Buckley.

At Pittsburg-Morning game. Pittsburg ... 0 4 0 0 0 0 6 2 "-12 14 2 Washingt'n.0 0 0 1 0 0 1 0 1-3 12 4 Batteries-Killen and Earle; Esper and Mc-Afternoon game-(Attendance 4,400.) H. E.

Pittsburg.... 0 2 0 4 5 1 0 0 0-12 11 3 Washington.0 1 3 1 1 0 1 1 1-916 Batteries-Ehret and Mack; Meekin and Mc-At New York-(Attendance 5,009.)

New York ... 2 1 3 9 0 1 6 1 0-23 19 Louisville. .2 0 1 0 6 0 2 0 3-14 13 Batteries-Petty and Wilson; Witrock and At Philadelphia-First game.

Philadelphia...0 1 0 1 2 0 2 0 *-614 2 Cincinnati0 1 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0-2 6 2 Batteries-Taylor and Clements; Parrott and Philadelphia.1 2 0 0 3 6 1 1 0-14 17 0 Cincinnati...0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0- 1 9 Batteries-Weyhing and Cross; Sullivan and Vaughn.

At Brooklyn-(Attendance, 5,000.) Brooklyn,....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0-0 6 3 Cleveland....0 0 1 1 0 0 3 1 0-611 1 Batteries-Sharrott and Kinslow; Young and

famous people, prominent among whom are Sir Richard Webster, late counsel for Great Britain in the Bering sea case; Miss Anna Besant and Gandenera C. Chakrasvaiti, the reputed East Indian lecturer. They are all en route to the world's fair, the two latter to attend the approaching theosophical con-

ON THE HOME STRETCH.

gress to be held at Chicago Sept. 15 and 16.

Sunday-School Workers Hold Their Last Meeting at a Race Track.

St. Louis, Sept. 2 .- The seventh international Sunday-school convention to-day held its concluding session in the grand stand of the race course of the St. Louis Jockey Club, whose fall meeting was suspended for a day to admit of the turning over of the grounds to the Sunday-school workers of St. Louis and the world. Not less than 25,000 persons were grounds, and the result was babel of confusing sounds. The report of the resolutions committee was adopted with but one change. In the instructions to the lesson committee, the temperance clause was so changed as to remove from that committee all instructions except that in relation to temperance. It will be bound throughout the remainder of the present septennial series of lessons by the instructions of the Pittsburg convention of \$1890. The resolutions indorsed training schools for teachers, favor the home department plan of Bible instruction. urge more extended use of the Bible as a text-book in Sunday schools, plead for wider co-operation of denominations, denounce the liquor traffic and plead for its utter aboution. Boston was unanimously chosen as the meeting place in 1896. There was raised \$5,000 by contribution, toward the indebtedness overhanging the model Sunday school building at the world's fair. The world's Sunday school convention holds its first session to-morrow afternoon.

RAILWAY MEN COMPROMISE.

Strike on the Louisville & Nashville System Happily Averted.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. LOUISVILLE, Ky., Sept. 2.—The final conference between the chiefs of the railway brotherhoods on one side and the leading officials of the Louisville & Nashville railway on the other lasted from 2:30 o'clock this afternoon until 8:10 o'clock to-night. An agreement was reached as follows: On Dec. 1 there will be another conference as to the restoration of rates. In the meantime the 10 per cent, cut will operate as President Smith's order originally intended it should. The restoration of salaries will depend on the volume of the road's business at that time, and its ability, financially, to restore wages to the standard existing before the cut. The trainmen, rather than order a strike, accepted the assurances of Mr. Smith that the wages would be restored when the business justified it, and agreed to the proposition to leave the matter to the conference three months hence.

BANKS IN BETTER SHAPE.

New York Reserve Now Only \$1,567,525 Be

low the Law's Requirements. NEW YORK, Sept. 2.—The weekly bank statement shows the following changes: Loans, decrease...... 3,438,100

The banks now hold \$1,567,525 below the requirements of the twenty-five-per-cent. rule. The subtreasury was debtor at the clearing house to-day \$105,000 and paid \$100,000 of it in gold. The clearances were \$92,100,000 and the bal-\$5,900,000. Of the balances nearly 25 per cent. were paid in cash, \$1,200,000 consisting of gold coin. This is a marked contrast to a week or ten days ago, when only about 3 per cent. of the amount of the balances were paid in cash. The daily increase in the bank clear-ances was also said by bank presidents today to be an excellent sign of improvement, and a proof that confidence was returning in business circles. The general improvement throughout the country this week was believed to be indicated by the bank clearings in the United States. These showed an increase over last week of \$51,-946,175. The clearings for the week ended last night were \$696,915,203, a decrease over

the corresponding week of last year amounting to \$428,870,120. Reductions Put Into Effect. CHICAGO, Sept. 1 .- To-day was the date set for the inauguration of the ten-percent. reduction in wages on the Rock Island, the Chicago, Milwaukee & St Paul and Wabash roads. All other lines reported that they had experienced no trouble and, in view of the vast numbers people are homeless and starving. The of unemployed men upon which the railroads could draw in the event of a strike, city of Peking is under water in some received, but had nothing to say then they were expecting none. The truth of places ten feet deep. Part of the city wall further than that precautions would be the matter is, however, that the roads have | fell, crushing a number of houses and killnot made any such sweeping reductions as | ing the inhabitants. they at first intended. I his has, at present as much to do with the absence of strikes

as the numbers of idle men. Car Works Shut Down. LITCHFIELD. Ill., Sept. 1.-The employes of the car works here received notice this morning that owing to the condition of financial affairs throughout the country all work would be suspended for the next sixty days. This company has orders for the copstruction of a large number of cars, but as notes and other commercial paper cannot be realized upon now, this step was deemed advisable. Six or seven hundred men are thrown out of employment.

Business Embarrassments. BALTIMORE, Md., Sept. 2.-William E. Wood and Charles J. Wood, trading under the firm name of Wood & Wood in stoves and ranges, have failed. The liabilities are said to be \$100.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Sept. 2.-Burns & Co. saddlers, harness makers and dealers in such goods, the largest firm in the city, made a special assignment just before midnight to-night to secure certain creditors. The debts secured amount to over \$100,000.

----Simple Words the Best,

New York Herald. The following little story is told of a citizen of Port Chester, N. Y., whose education was somewhat superior to his wife's, a fact regarding which she was very sensitive. On one occasion the man drove over to White Plains to inquire regarding the health of his sister-in-law, who was dangerously ill. Upon returning he was met by his wife, who asked of her sister's condition 'She is convalescent," replied the man.

Immediately and in the most emphatic manner the woman cried out: "I want none of your soothing words. I want facts. You tell me this minute, is my sister dead or alive!" ----

Promoting Confidence.

"My dear Professor; will you kindly give me a history of the world in the next fifteen minutes!" The old story is suggested by the action of the ways and means committee of the House which, till there was a vigorous protest from the Republicans, seriously proposed to allow the industries of the United States two hours a day for twelve days to present their views on a projected rearrangement of tariff duties. The time finally set was from Sept. 4 to Sept. 20-fifteen days, two hours, more or less, each day. This is the way in which the Democratic party promotes the confidence which is essential to a restoration of trade and production in the United States.

Remembering an Old Enemy.

A recent issue of Harper's Weekly labeled the portraits of Senators Vest, Jones, Stewart, Teller and Wolcott, and Representative Bland, as "Enemies of the Public Welfare." So. Harper's Weekly is at its old tricks again. The people of this section have not forgotten how it slandered them in a pictorial way for a quarter of a century. If pictures could have blighted and ruined a country Harper's Weekly would have turned the South into a desert,

A Welcome Visitor.

It has been many years since gold was as generally circulated in the East as it is now. It is It is worth keeping.

Painfully Strained. New York Recorder.

Mr. Bourke Cockran's effort to argue in the halls of Congress that the Democratic platform of 1892 did not favor free comage of silver was a nainfully strained performance.

THE LORDS WILL THROW IT OUT

Gladstone's Irish Home Rule Bil to Be Promptly Rejected.

Ten Peers Opposed to the Measure for Every One that Supports It-Little Debate to Be Indulged In.

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Special to the Indianapolis Journal. LONDON, Sept. 2 .- The Marquis of Salisbury is planning to make the decisive division on the home-rule bill in the House of Lords the occasion of a great Tory rally. Not content with the normal majority of the Lords against the government, he will insist, that every Tory peer who can be reached by the whips shall be present to record his opposition to the Gladstonian policy. At his instance the Tory whips have sent exceptionally urgent notices to all members of their party in the upper house. They expect that despite the unfavorableness of the season the full strength of the opposition will be brought out for the occasion. More than four hundred Lordshave already promised to support the Marquis of Salisbury in throwing out the bill. The Earl of Kimberly, leader of the government's forces in the House of Lords, can muster at most ferty-two votes. For every peer supporting the bill, therefore, there will be ten opposing it. There will be little debate on the bill among the Lords. For three nights they will devote most of their time to dividing against it. The peers have not shown any appreciation of fine oratory recent years. They would not tolerate speeches of the class delivered by Mr. Chamberlain, Mr. Balfour and Mr. Morley in the House of Commons in the last two days. They don't care for any new views of home rule, and, in fact, there are among them but two or three who are able to elucidate further any subject already debated in the lower house. On Tuesday Earl Spencer, First Lord of the Admiralty, will move the second reading. The Duke of Devonshire, Liberal Unionist, will respond with a motion to reject the bill. Both are dull, ponderous speakers, and little general interest is felt in what they may say. Not all the Unionists look with favor on

majority to vote against the bill. Such a course, they feel, must direct general attention to the broadening TUCKER'S chaem between the Lords and the Commons, and tend to precipitate the fight of British democracy against the upper house. For many years the British people have watched with increasing jealousies the work of the upper classes with regard to the lower house. There is no doubt that the great mass of Liberal voters in Great Britain have felt only lakewarm towards home rule. They have supported the policy more for the sake of Mr. Gladstone than from any deep conviction. Upon this mood the course of the Tory and Liberal Unionist lords is likely to react in a way not desired by them. As if to hasten the joining of the issue the House of Lords this week placed itself in direct opposition to the popular demands by rejecting the betterment clauses inserted by the House of Commons in the London improvements bill. The Labouchere Radicals prophesy that their opposition to the homerule bill may be the last act of their suicidal policy.

the Salisbury plan of bringing an immense

A Real Duel in France, Paris, Aug. 31 .- A duel was fought yesterday in the outskirts of Paris between M. Drumont, editor of Libre Parole, and M. Camille Dreyfus. Rapiers were used. M. Dreyfus received three slight wounds, one in the arm, one in the side and a third in the chest. M. Drumont was not scratched. M. Dreyfus was weak from loss of blood and was not able to continue, but asked for a further meeting. He also expressed a wish that pistols be used at the second meeting. This M. Drumont agreed to without hesitation. The cause for the duel was an article published in M. Drumont's paper charging that all Jewesses of the upper classes were women of easy virtue.

Notes from Japan and China. SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 1 .- The steamship China arrived from Yokohama and Hong Kong yesterday. Lieutenant Foulk, late of the United States navy, and late pro fessor in Dosisscha College, Kyoto, wa found dead on a mountain path, Aug. 14 near Mianoshita. He had been in delicate health for some time. Reports from Peking state that disastrous floods have occurred in north China. Many

A Young Man's Awful Crime, BUDA PESTH, Sept. 2 .- A terrible tragedy has occurred in a village near here. A young man at a ball, exasperated because his attentions to a young lady had been slighted, imagined that i he inherited his father's estates he would be an acceptable suitor. Accordingly he returned to his tather's house and killed his parents, who were in bed asleep. With a hatchet he then mur-

suspicion. He confessed the crime after two Disastrous Storm in the Azores. BOSTON, Sept. 2 .- Viscount Valla da Costa the Portuguese consul in this city, has received a cable despatch bringing news of a disastrous storm in the Azores. The message says that the city of Fayal was almost wholly destroyed, many being killed outright, and the greatest suffering now prevails.

dered his six young brothers and sisters. Then he returned to the ball and danced the remainder

of the night. The next day he was arrested on

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

The celebration of the German victory over

the French at Sedan was celebrated throughout Germany yesterday. E. H. Rummell, late chief engineer of the Milwaukee, Lake Shore & Western railroad, was killed by a train yesterday near Parrish, Wis. The general committee of the employes of the Nashville, Chattanooga & St. Louis and the Western & Atlantic railways has accepted a 10 per cent. reduction in wages for ninety days. F. C. C. Story, of New York, compiler of Story's Legal Digest, died at St. Louis, yesterday, from an overdose of bromide, which he was taking, combined with other drugs, as medicine. C. H. Rockwell, assistant to the president of the Chicago & Eastern Illinois Railway, has been appointed general passenger agent of the Cleveland, Akron & Columbus road. He succeeds W. C. Rinearson, who goes to the Queen & Crescent to succeed David Edwards, who went

PENSIONS FOR VETERANS.

to the C. H. & D.

Residents of Indiana and Illinois Whose Claims Have Been Allowed, Pensions have been granted the following-named Indianians:

Original-Robert Finney, Indianapolis, Marion county; Edward T. Gilkison, indianapolis, Marion county. Renewal-Henry Schunk, Indianapolis, Marion county. Increase-Samuel B Wiles, Mount Etua, Huntington county; Garret Vandolsen, Andrews, Huntington county: Franels W. Macoughty, Attiea, Fountain county; Thomas F. Houts, Laporte, Laporte county; William Alexander, Pickard's Mills, Clinton county; Francis M. Boulden, Frankfort, Clinton county; James Hatton, Indianaporis, Marion county; Greenbery L. Freeman, Connersville; Fayette county. Reissue-George H. McMichael, Greencastle, Putnam county; William Sadier, deceased, Delaware, Ripley county. Original widows-Clarissa Sadler, Delaware, Ripley county; Lucy A. Rawson, Kendallville, Noble

TO RESIDENTS OF ILLINOIS. Original-Thomas Jones, Glen Ellyn, DuPage county; Ellis Briggs, Roodhouse, Greene county, Increase-John Auderson, Whiteside county; James Gibson, Mount Carmel, Wabash county; John R. Snook, Altamont, Effingham county; James Anderson, Mount Vernon, Jeherson county. Original widows-Mary Amman, Jamestown, Clinton county; Elizabeth Kile, Perry, heautiful money, and those who receive it would like very much not to be compelled to spend it. county; Sarah A. Loman, Elk Prairie, Jellerson county. Widow Indian wars-Mary McAdams, Hillsbore, Montgomery county.

Unkind Remark. Philadelphia Press.

When a Democratic editor bears them grinding coffee next door he has in his paper next day, "Another mill started up."

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nounced every hour to-morrow and

STROLOGER.

STROLOGER-MRS. DR. ELLIS, ROOM

A Ryan's Block, North Tennessee street and Indi-

and avenue. Do not fail to consult the only scientific

on, was taken north yesterday morning by

Deputy Sheriff Tom Neelan. The prisoner was

the jail, and it is safe to predict that he was

CITY NEWS NOTES.

There will be no sessions of the Board of

The Pythian Building Association, of Chrisney,

A warrant was issued by the State Auditor

To-morrow morning, at 11 o'clock, will be the

regular meeting of the membership committee

of the Board of Trade. In the afternoon the

finance committee will meet, and in the evening

An entertainment of special interest to the G.

A. R. and the public generally will be the one of

next Wednesday and Thursday evenings, at the

Y. M. C. A. Hall, by the Sons of Veterans Sliegt

Drill Team, assisted by Miss Ethel Kight and the

The Knights of Pythias Lodge, Pythagoras,

No. 380, will work three degrees on to-morrow

night for the benefit of all visiting members of

the order, and to which all of them are invited.

The lodge has convenient and commedious rooms

at the corner of Bellefontaine street and Mas-

sachusetts avenue, and has a large membership.

All Knights visiting in the city are invited to be

He Was a "Foreign" Gambler.

in by the detectives yesterday was Edward Gard,

known to fame and the police as the most bril-

dered out of town by the police, but disobeyed

the instructions and lingered about his old

haunts. He was admitted to bail last night on

the promise that he would leave the city on the

This Happened in Georgia.

A death from a remarkable cause occured in

Walker county recently. A lady who was riding

iant of "shell workers." Gard was recently or-

Among the gentlemen of the green cloth taken

yesterday for \$5,198 in favor of the Fort Wayne

has filed articles of incorporation with \$2,000

handcuffed and heavily shackled before leaving

astrologer in America. Tells all of life correctly.

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1 case Mousquetaire Saxe Cut, \$1 pair. 1 case Mousquetaire, P.K. and gored, \$1.25.

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INDIANA IS WARNED.

Official Notification Received of the Cholera Case in New Jersey.

Dr. Metcalf, secretary of the State Board

of Health, yesterday afternoon received the following telegram from H. W. Austin, surgeon of the Marine Hospital Service: "One fatal case of cholera at Jersey City." Secretary Metcalf was seen shortly after the telegram was received, but had nothing to say then taken to guard against a possible invasion of the plague into this State. Late last evening an attempt was made to find Dr. Metcalf and learn what, if any, action would be taken. Though he was known to have been in the city, a careful search of an hour failed to disclose his whereabouts. The news from Jersey City does not seem to be regarded with serious apprehension by the people generally. However, the fact that cholera has made its appearance in the United States at this time will doubtless cause some alarm. There will be an enormous amount of travel to this city in the next few days, and much of it will come from the Eastern States. It would therefore be reassuring to the public to know that every precaution would be taken immediately, and all trains from New York City carefully examined before

arriving in the city. NANCY HANKS COMING.

She Will Try to Break Her Record Next Week for a Purse of \$5,000.

Nancy Hanks, 2:04, wired the Indianapolis Driving Club officials last night that, barring all mishaps, she would arrive in Indianapolis this week and give exhibitions of her speed at the fair grounds. Bud Doble, her manager and driver, said: "Nancy will go against her world's record. and will go her level best." The driving club management has agreed to give Nancy \$3,500 for one heat against time. Should she beat her record the purse will be increased to \$5,000, and as Nancy's motives in coming to Indianapolis are conceded to be purely mercenary, it is given out that she will spare no pains to win the \$5,000. The track will be in prime condition, according to the present indications, and Nancy will arrive in time to be made fit for the event. The attempt will be made on Thursday or Friday.

County Treasury Change. To-morrow morning Treasurer Backus turns

the office over to Treasurer-elect Sterling R. Holt. It has been rumored that the money would not be on hand to turn the office over to the incoming officer, but this report has been steadily denied in the treasurer's office. Yesterday afternoon Hunter McCaslin, the cashier in the office, said that there would be on hand all the necessary cash to make the settlement with the new treasurer, and the office would be turned over with the accounts perfectly straight.

Wants to Be Reiessed. John Mills yesterday filed a petition in the

Circuit Court to secure his release from the police station, where he is held under the name of Isaac Crozier, as a fugitive from justice. He was arrested a few days ago, and held awaiting arrival of officers from Tennessee, where he is wanted for assault and battery with intent to kill. The writ was issued returnable Sept. 11. Watermelons and Plug Tobacco.

Yardmaster Howard, of the Vandalia, found a

man in one of the company's freight cars last

night, enjoying himself in the midst of a consignment of watermelons. The intruder was searched and several pounds of plug tobacco found in his pockets. At the station house the prisoner gave the name of E. J. Sagen. ----

Starr Again Taken to Prison.

to church reached out her hand to pluck a sprig from a bush by the roadside and was bitten on the finger by a katydia. Her hand and arm soon began to inflame and swell, and in a few hours she died in great ageny.

first outgoing train.

Atlanta Constitution.

New York Commercial Advertiser. The only good thing in Voorhees's speech is his vigorous assault on the pension "refermers." Whit Starr, the hero of a recent escape from What he has to say should inake Hoke thick, if

A Pointer for Hoke.

the officers while en route to the northern pris- Hoke is capable of such an effort.